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Re: WC Docket No. 02-359

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned proceeding are an original and four copies of Verizon's Motion for Extension of Procedural Schedule.

Sincerely,

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In the Matter of: )  
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Petition of Cavalier Telephone, LLC )  
Pursuant to Section 252(e) of the )  
Communications Act for Preemption )  
Of the Jurisdiction of the Virginia State )  
Corporation Commission Regarding )  
Interconnection Disputes with Verizon )  
Virginia, Inc. and for Arbitration )  
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**VERIZON'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Verizon Virginia Inc. ("Verizon") hereby moves for a ten-day extension of the procedural schedule previously established in this case. Verizon respectfully submits that, in light of the Commission's issuance late yesterday of its approximately 575-page, 800-paragraph Triennial Review Order ("Order"), a short procedural extension will permit Verizon a brief opportunity to review the Order and to analyze its affect on the issues in this case.

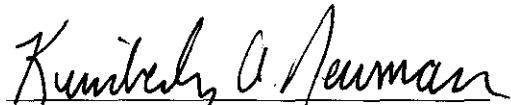
When Verizon originally agreed to the Procedural Schedule, it anticipated that the Commission would issue the Order well in advance of the due dates described in that schedule. Now, however, Verizon's response to the arbitration petition and proposed interconnection agreement language is due in just four days -- on August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2003. Verizon continues to review and analyze the Order. Based upon an initial review, it appears that the Order may address a number of issues in this case that relate to Verizon's obligation to provide unbundled network elements. The short time between the issuance of the Order

and the due date for Verizon's response will not afford Verizon an opportunity to analyze the breadth, scope and complexity of the Order and its effect on Verizon's positions and contract proposals.

Verizon therefore respectfully requests that the Commission extend all dates on the Procedural Schedule by ten days.

Dated: August 22, 2003

Respectively submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Kimberly A. Newman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

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